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**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

Claims 1-43 (Cancelled).

44. (Currently Amended) ~~A distance-viewing instrument~~ A hand-held telescopic real-time observation instrument as claimed in claim [41] 61, further comprising a timer for time-interval freezing of the image.

45. (Currently Amended) ~~A distance-viewing instrument~~ A hand-held telescopic real-time observation instrument as claimed in claim [41] 61, further comprising an electronic processing unit which connects one or several electronic retinas with an electronic display screen.

46. (Currently Amended) ~~A distance-viewing instrument~~ A hand-held telescopic real-time observation instrument as claimed in claim [41] 61, further comprising only one electronic retina, and wherein said electronic retina is arranged to be optically or mechanically exposed to receive different-size images in such a manner that the frozen image being viewed has a larger size on the display screen